Allocation of fund for rural electrification programme to Rajasthan

861. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMAD KHAN (DURRU): Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of allocation of funds to Rajasthan for the rural electrification programmes during the Tenth Plan period;

(b) whether the Government have received any proposal from the State Government of Rajasthan in this regard;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the details of action taken by the Central Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) According to Jaipur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited, (Government of Rajasthan Undertaking) the details of funds allocated for rural electrification programme during Tenth Plan are given as under:—

(Rs. in crores)

2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
120.00	128.00	137.00	160.00	176.00

(b) to (d) Rajasthan has furnished the year-wise Plan of action for complete electrification of villages by 2007. The details are given as under:

Year	No. of villages
2002-03	500
2003-04	500
2004-05	500
2005-06	500
2006-07	180